Name of the Region/State	1985-86*
Jammu & Kashmir	29.61
Punjab	200.25
Rajasthan	72.01
Uttar Pradesh	55.96
Chandigarh	188.59
Delhi	173.46
SUB TOTAL	78.30
Western Region:	
Gujarat	189.99
Madhya Pradesh	126.32
Maharashtra	170.33
D&N Haveli	114.10
Goa, Daman & Diu	180.62
SUB-TOTAL	159.68
Southern Region:	
Andhra Pradesh	103.19
Karnataka	108.54
Kerala	87.04
Tamil Nadu	119.74
Lakshadweep	6.98
Pondicherry	124.62
SUB-TOTAL	106.79
Eastern Region:	
Bihar	71.68
Orissa	95.77
West Bengal	84.90
A&N Islands	13.01
Sikkim	10.53
SUB-TOTAL	80.37
North-Eastern Region:	
Assam	35.11
Manipur	6.87
Meghalaya	29.91
Nagaland	25.72
Tripura	5.65
Arunachal Pradesh	5.49
Mizoram	0.02
SUB-TOTAL	29.36
TOTAL ALL INDIA	101.47

*Figures are provisional.

Developing wind mill technology

312. SHRIMATI BIJOYA CHAKRAVARTY: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government are considering a proposal for harnessing wind power as a major energy alternative and the survey is under way to locate sites of the strong winds where wind mills can be installed; and

(b) if so, what are the details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY (SHRI VASANT SATHE): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. With a view to develop wind as a significant source of power five demonstration wind farm projects of aggregate capacity 3.6 MW at Mandvi and Okha in Gujarat; Tuticorin in Tamil Nadu; Puri in Orissa and Deogarh in Maharashtra, have already been completed. About 50 lakh units of electricity have already been fed to the respective State grids since the commissioning of these projects last year. Further projects are also planned.

In order to quantify the total wind potential and to help in identifying suitable windy sites, the De-

partment of Non-Conventional Energy Sources has also taken up wind survey and monitoring projects in potentially good wind areas of the country.

Allocation of power by Neyveli Lignite Corporation

313. SHRI ALADI ARUNA *alias* V. ARUNACHALAM: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Chief Minister of Tamil Nadu has requested the Central Government to allot to the State the entire generation of power from Neyveli Lignite Corporation; and

(b) if so, what is Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY (SHRI VASANT SATHE): (a) and (b) A reference was received from the Government of Tamil Nadu for giving not less than 60 per cent of share in the total electricity generated at Neyveli.

After meeting Neyveli Lignite Corporation's own requirements, all the surplus power available from the first power station is supplied to the Tamil Nadu Electricity Board under an agreement.

With regard to the second thermal power station, 3x210 MW (Stage I) and 4x210 MW (Stage II), power would be made available to all the constituent States in the Southern region according to the Government of India's formula for distribution of power.

Import of coal

314. SHRI ALADI ARUNA *alias* V. ARUNACHALAM: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) what is the quantum of coal allowed by the Central Government for import from Australia for the year 1987-88 for various public sector undertakings;

(b) whether the request made by the Tamil Nadu Government to import coal from Australia has been considered favourably; and

(c) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRIMATI SUSHILA ROHATGI): (a) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

(b) and (c) The coal requirement of the power stations in Tamil Nadu is being met at present from indigenous sources and it is not proposed now to allow import of coal for these stations.

विद्युत की राज्यवार मांग

315. **श्री मीर्जा ईशाद बेग :** क्या ऊर्जा मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) कृषि और औद्योगिक क्षेत्रों के लिए प्रत्येक राज्य की कितनी मेगावाट बिजली की मांग है;

(ख) प्रत्येक राज्य में विद्युत् का कुल कितना उत्पादन होता है;

(ग) विद्युत् की कमी को पूरा करने के लिए सरकार द्वारा क्या कदम उठाये जा रहे हैं;

(घ) केन्द्र सरकार और योजना आयोग के पास स्वीकृति के लिये लम्बित पड़ी नई विद्युत परियोजनाओं की राज्यवर संख्या कितनी है ; और

(ङ) विलम्ब के क्या कारण हैं और इन परियोजनाओं को कब तक स्वीकृति दे दिये जाने की सम्भावना है ?

ऊर्जा मंत्रालय में विद्युत विभाग में राज्य मंत्री (श्रीमती सुशीला रोहतगी): (क) सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है और सभा पटल पर रख दी जाएगी ।